



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application. No:	10/725978
Filed:	December 1, 2003
Inventor(s):	Daniel Morellec, Gilles Le Traon, & Yoann Bouchet
Title:	Large Capacity Automatic Distributor, Particularly for Optic Fibres; Device and Method for Automatic Connection/Disconnection of the Binding Fibres within the Distributor

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF  
NOVEMBER 8, 2004**

## Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of November 8, 2004, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.